Amendments to the Claims

Please cancel claims 1-17 without prejudice.

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Please add new claim 18-38 as indicated in the listing of claims below.

Listing of Claims

- 1-17. Cancelled.
- 18. (New) An apparatus for culturing cells, comprising:
 - (a) a fermentor for growing bacterial cells, wherein said fermentor comprises:
 - (i) at least one inlet port for receiving fluid containing materials needed to maintain bacterial growth;
 - (ii) at least one outlet port through which medium containing bacteria can pass;
 - (b) a culture vessel for growing eukaryotic cells attached to a solid support, wherein said culture vessel comprises:
 - (i) at least one inlet port which is connected to an outlet port of said fermentor;
 - (ii) at least one outlet port for removing fluid from said culture vessel; and
 - (c) means for moving fluid from an outlet port of said fermentor to a connected inlet port of said culture vessel.
- 19. (New) The apparatus of claim 18, further comprising:
 - (d) means for removing fluid from an outlet port of said culture vessel.
- 20. (New) The apparatus of claim 19, wherein said fermentor further comprises:
 - (e) a second outlet port for removing fluid from said fermentor, wherein said second outlet port is not connected to said culture vessel; and
 - (f) means for moving fluid out of said fermentor and through said second outlet port.

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- 21. (New) The apparatus of claim 20, further comprising:
 - (g) a reservoir capable of providing nutrient medium for growing bacteria, wherein said reservoir is connected to an inlet port of said fermentor; and
 - (h) means for removing said nutrient medium from said reservoir to the inlet port of said fermentor recited in (g).
- 22. (New) The apparatus of claim 21, wherein said fermentor further comprises a second inlet port.
- 23. (New) The apparatus of claim 22, further comprising:
 - a second reservoir capable of providing material for maintaining growth of bacteria, wherein said second reservoir is connected to said second inlet port of said fermentor; and
 - (j) means for moving fluid from said second reservoir to said second inlet port.
- 24. (New) The apparatus of any one of claims 18-23, wherein said culture vessel is a tissue culture flask, tissue culture dish or multiwell plate.
- 25. (New) The apparatus of claim 18, wherein said means recited in (c) is a pump.
- 26. (New) The apparatus of claim 19, wherein said means recited in step (c) is a pump.
- 27. (New) The apparatus of claim 19, wherein each of the means recited in (c) and (d) is a pump.
- 28. (New) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein each of the means recited in (c) and (f) is a pump.
- 29. (New) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (d) and (f) is a pump.

- 30. (New) The apparatus of claim 21, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (f) and (h) is a pump.
- 31. (New) The apparatus of claim 21, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (d) (f) and (h) is a pump.
- 32. (New) The apparatus of claim 22, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (f) and (h) is a pump.
- 33. (New) The apparatus of claim 22, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (d), (f) and (h) is a pump.
- 34. (New) The apparatus of claim 23, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (f), (h) and (j) is a pump.
- 35. (New) The apparatus of claim 23, wherein each of the means recited in (c), (d), (f), (h) and (j) is a pump.
- 36. (New) The apparatus of any one of claims 18-23 or any one of claims 25-35, wherein said fermentor further comprises a device for mixing fluid within said fermentor.
- 37. (New) The apparatus of claim 36, wherein said device for mixing fluid within said fermentor is a stir motor driven paddle.
- 38. (New) The apparatus of claim 36, wherein said culture vessel is a tissue culture flask, a tissue culture dish, or a multiwell plate.